

Expedited Procedure  
PATENT APPLICATION  
**Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116**  
– **Expedited Procedure** –  
Technology Center 4175  
Atty. Docket: NL040178 [MS-405]

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application : 10/598,066  
Applicant(s) : Pim Theo Tuyls  
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Confirmation : 9786  
T.C./Art Unit : 4175  
Examiner : Mikels, Matthew A.  
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Title: **SPECKLE PATTERN FOR AUTHENTICATING AN INFORMATION CARRIER**

**AMENDMENT AND/OR RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office action of 13 January 2010, please amend the above referenced application as follows and/or reconsider the application in light of the following remarks.

**This paper includes** (each beginning on a separate sheet):

- 1. Amendments and/or listing of the claims;**
- 2. Remarks / Discussion of issues;**